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U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS		
DOCUMENT NO.	DATE	NAME
6,197,695 B1	03/06/2001	Joly et al.
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OTHER ART – NON PATENT LITERATURE DOCUMENTS	
Tillman et al., "Zero-Level Packaging for MEMS or MST Devices: The IRS Method", MEMS/Sensors, Advancing Microelectronics, Pages 37-39, November/December 2000.	

Applicant is enclosing Form PTO-1449 (one sheet), along with a copy of each listed reference (B3-B4) for which a copy is required under 37 CFR §1.98(a)(2). As each of the listed references is in English, no further commentary is believed to be necessary, 37 C.F.R. §1.98(a)(3). Applicant respectfully requests the Examiner's consideration of the above reference(s) and entry thereof into the record of this application.

By submitting this Statement, Applicant is attempting to fully comply with the duty of candor and good faith mandated by 37 CFR §1.56. As such, this Statement is not intended to constitute an admission that any of the enclosed references, or other information referred to therein, constitutes "prior art" or is otherwise "material to patentability," as that phrase is defined in 37 CFR §1.56(a).

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